

## Message Text

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PAGE 01 SAIGON 06565 171316 Z

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ACTION EA-14

INFO OCT-01 ADP-00 SS-15 L-03 NSC-10 CIAE-00 INR-10

NSAE-00 RSC-01 PA-03 PM-09 IO-12 PRS-01 DODE-00 DPW-01

OMB-01 RSR-01 /082 W

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R 171115 Z APR 73

FM AMEMBASSY SAIGON

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 294

C O N F I D E N T I A L SAIGON 6565

E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, VS

SUBJECT: TONG LE CHAN PROTEST LETTERS

REF: A. SAIGON 5637; B. STATE 067273; C. SAIGON 5824

1. KY OF MFA TODAY (17 APRIL) ASKED MINPOL TO RETURN LETTERS ENTRUSTED TO US FOR DELIVERY TO COMMUNIST FINAL ACT SIGNATORIES AND UNSYG WHICH US HAS DECLINED TO DELIVER ( REF B). GVN WISHES TO ATTEMPT DELIVERY UNILATERALLY.

2. LETTERS WERE POUCHED TO EA/ VN ON 5 APRIL ( REF C). REQUEST THEIR RETURN ASAP.  
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\*\*\* Current Handling Restrictions \*\*\* n/a

\*\*\* Current Classification \*\*\* CONFIDENTIAL

## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01 JAN 1994  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:**  
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**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Draft Date:** 17 APR 1973  
**Decaption Date:** 01 JAN 1960  
**Decaption Note:**  
**Disposition Action:** RELEASED  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Authority:** golinofr  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 28 MAY 2004  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
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**Drafter:** n/a  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** GDS  
**Errors:** n/a  
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**Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
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**Review Action:** RELEASED, APPROVED  
**Review Authority:** golinofr  
**Review Comment:** n/a  
**Review Content Flags:**  
**Review Date:** 06 DEC 2001  
**Review Event:**  
**Review Exemptions:** n/a  
**Review History:** RELEASED <06-Dec-2001 by thigpegh>; APPROVED <28-Dec-2001 by golinofr>  
**Review Markings:**

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**Review Media Identifier:**  
**Review Referrals:** n/a  
**Review Release Date:** n/a  
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**TAGS:** PFOR, n/a  
**To:** EA  
**SECSTATE WASHDC**  
**Type:** TE  
**Markings:** Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005